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Applicants: Masato TANAKA et al.  
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Sir:

Applicants, through the undersigned attorney, hereby  
petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend  
the time for responding to the Office Action dated April 24,  
2002 for three months from July 24, 2002 to October 24, 2002.

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Respectfully submitted,  
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